A. B. WHITE, Prest. and Gen. Man.

ESTABLISHED

FACTS THAT ARE SETTLED UPON A SOLID BASIS.

There is No Speculation in Proven Values.

It is almost painful to observe the anx iety displayed by some people to get into this Perfection Heat and Light Company. And why? Simply because they see it has passed the period of questionable certainty and is, every whit, the "big thing" proph cated. And it couldn't be otherwise— positively couldn't. And why not? To start out with, the invention had and has a practical, commercial, every day, right-at-home value. That is the basis of its worth. Next, the company organized to introduce and develop the business was formed under the guidance of a man who enjoys the con-fidence of the substantial, moneyed element the guidance of a man who enjoys the confidence of the substantial, moneyed element of the mercantile community; and as a result of this executive capability the best and most influential citizens took hold at the start. Now comes the horde of spectators—the lookers on—those who looked and thought and thought and looked, and then shook their heads. Now they want to get into the awim, because they see that the success of the company is not only assured, but illimitable in its possibilities. Candidly, I'm glad they're "froze out." George Schroeder mentioned to me vesterday a certain slow-mover in this city who admitted that he would not have gone in at the outstart because he never liked to be too hasty in anything. Perhaps he's lived to a good old sge because he's taking plenty of time to die. He wanted to purchase some stock, and so he did. But it cost him some premium. I know him, and I guess you would, too, if I mentioned his name.

And now for the most substantial evidence of the prosperity of the Perfuction liest and Light Company. I is doing lots of business. That'a the proof. And it is going to do more. Because an enterprise which finds a market for its goods is every household and which possesses economic features of a domestic value. What enterprise

which finds a market for its goods in every household and which possesses economic features of a domestic value—that enterprise will never die except from one disease, viz. Mismanagement. The P. H. & L. Co. has been successfully vaccinated against this contagion. Its success proves the quality of its management.

"TRULY WONDERFUL."

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"TRULY WONDERFUL."

"Just come in a moment, I want to show you something."

Show me something! It seems as if thay showed me almost everything. I thought—just kind of imagined—I had seen some large and heavily stocked stores at the holiday season in various citles in this country, but the palm belongs to The Fair, No, 812 Seventh street northwest. I went in for a moment and staid an hour. Perhaps you don't know that The Fair runs through from Seventh to Eighth streets? Every inch—up stairs and down—is filled, tier upon tier, shelf upon shelf, and counter site counter, with toys and holiday presents of every conceivable variety. It seems to me I walked more than a mile of afsles, and I saw more gift goods than I ever saw before in my life, and I've always had good eyesight. I couldn't, of course, guess what you intend to purchase for Christim's; maybe you don't know yourself. Singular, isn't it, that we are all in about the same predicament? There is so much that is beautiful, it is a puzzle to know what to get. But, as I was going to say, it doesn't make any difference how undecided you are, there is something at The Fair you will want for some of your friends. Yesterday afternoon this big baxar was crowded with ladies and children. Crowded? I mean packed! But I reckon the proprietors counted wieely; for they have a large corps of experienced salesmen and salesladles, and experiment a problem of acquaintance had been very brief, but I remarked: "It is evident, madam, that it isn't large knowsh't, madam, that it isn't large knowsh't and the and the proprietors counted with the to accept the service of the proprietors counted with the seasomething. I saw it. I saw soo large a store." Our acquaintance had been very brief, but I remarked: "It is evident, madam, that it isn't large knowsh't, madam, that it isn't large knowsh't.

I think that next to ascertaining the surest plan of salvation the most discussed and experimental problem of every day life is how to advertise. Everybody thinks his way the best; and, in almost every instance, as shown by results, he is wrong. Now, W. C. Scribner, the butterine dealer, has got a very clever plan for keeping track of the benefits arising from his methods of advertising. He says it don't make any difference to him how often they stop at one of his stalls and tell him what nonsense that man Ford writes about him, because he knows they must have read what was written in order to have any opinion. For the knows they must have read what was written in order to have any opinion. For the
tensit of those who spend lots of money—
literally throw it away—in advertising withcut any direct results and then say
they don't understand why it should
be so, I want to say that if you want your
businees to be benefited by advertising
you must so word and arrange your advertiements so that people will not only red
tut look for them. I will close by remarking that the talks I have given "Scrib's" butterine businees at 349, 350, and 351 Center
Market, 51 Eastern, and 544 Northern Libcriy Markets are the best evidences any one
could want of what kind of advertising
pays. The sales of butterine are increaing, and that demonstrates the truth of
what I have said about it. what I have said about it.

HE SAVED HER LIFE.

BILLY FORD.

Almost every sun

Curious Sequel to a Rescue-The Re-



Almost every summer the newspapers chronicle the rescue of this or that man or woman from a watery grave, the majority of auch cases taking place at leastle resorts, and seaside resorts, and while one or both parties are bathing. in most instances the

only reward the rescuer got, was, "Thanks; awfully kind of you." He goes bis way with the conscious knowledge of doing right and a likelihood of a lasting brouchilis or asthma from the wetting.

In this instance, however, Mr. James Stroud, of Boston, Mass, who, at Long Branch, nobly rescued Miss Helen Davidge, of St. Lous, not only received hearty thanks from father and daughter, but has now received the still greater reward of Miss Davidge's hand. They say "Pity is akin to love," and surely gratitude isn't far belifid. love," and surely gratique is the bind.
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But if every life saver received a reward approximate to the number of lives saved, and the piril in which they were at the time of saving, what glories and honors would be due to the Scotch Oata Essence Conpany, of New York. Not only has their great remedy saved thousands from death, built up and cemented the reputation of many a physician, and carned for him his patient's lasting gratitude, but it has cheated the insane asylum of many a promising victim. Nor is it from adults alone that comes its praise, but from many a little one's dumb eyes that cannot yet speak, whose tender life has been snatched from the grip of convulsions, infantile paralysis, lock jaw, and the like.

Scotch Oats Essence is the greatest nerve and brain tonic ever given to the world, and its fame grows with every day and year of its existence.

Reduced prices in every deet. Eissman's 7.5 E

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Fidelity Lodge of Good Templars.

This Anacostia lodge, the banner lodge of the District in financial strength, had an interesting meeting on Wednesday evening. Chief Templar Goddard presiding. The grand secretary and past chief templar, James H. Dony, was, by yole, recommended to the grand enter templar for the office of lodge deputy. Treasurer Pyles reported upon the condition of license affairs, in which it appeared that the colosizing scheme for the benefit of applicants for Hecsnes was being worked more or less successfully in Anacostia. Upon the recommendation of General Superintendent Russoll Camplain Etzler was appointed to ascertain if a juvenile temple could not be organized under the auspices of the lodge said to report to the grand superintendent of the committee on juvenile work, which, as revised, is composed of the following: Sisters C. E. Gilbert, chairman; L. Gruber, A. K. Bond, M. E. Cutter, and Brother Lanman. A liberal contribution was raised for a needy brother present from Boston. In the good of the order, conducted by Marshal Dony, Past Grand Vice Templar Julia A. Martin gave an impressive recitation and remarks were made by Brothers Greene, of Massenbuscus; Etzler, Dony, Hodges of Clements Lodge, and Grand Superintendent Russell, of Petreverance Lodge. Fidelity Lodge of Good Templars.

VIRGINIA REPUBLICANS. With Cordial Recognition They Can

Carry the State. WASHINGTON, D. C., Dec. 8, 1887. To Hon. B. F. Jones, Chairman National Republican Committee—Sir: The undersigned, speaking for the Republican party of Virginia, respectfully lay before you the following statement, which they believe to be worthy of your very serious attention: Under the old management of its for-tunes the Republican party of Virginia was

so badly beaten in 1876—so disheartened and demoralized—that in 1877 it put no ticket in the field at all, although a gov-ernor, lieutenant governor, attorney geoeral and legislature were to be chosen. In 1878 the chairman of its state executive committee united with extreme Bourbons in an effort to organize a new party, becoming a member of the state committee of the new organization proposed, and signing his name to the address issued in its behalf. Local lasues, which had been steadily at work to that end ever since reconstruction, resulted early in 1879 in the disruption of the Virginia Democracy, then known as the Conservative party, and the practically disbanded Republicans rallied to one or the other of the contending factions—the Republican rank and file going in a body to the revolters, led by Gen. Wm. Mahope, while, with a few honorable exceptions, the officiality of the moribund or defunct Republican organization, together with the deferal officeholders in the state, took service with the extreme Bourbons under the so-called Conservative fing. In the struggle which ensued for control of the state, President Hayes and his administration, the National Republican Committee, with the Republican press in and out of Virginia, athered to the ancient Bourbon cause, giving it their aid and comfort; but, nevertheless, the Republican masses in our Commonwealth, with uncerting instinct, stood shoulder to shoulder for the more liberal movement, and the result was a crushing defeat for Virginia Bourbonism in 1879. We need not detail all the blessel reforms that followed; yet we cannot refrain from naming the redemption of free suffrage, and the revival of the national spirit of American clitizenship as a few smiring the many benefits arising from Bourbon overthrow and the inauguration of a more liberal regime. committee united with extreme Bourbon in an effort to organize a new party, be-

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with only a little over \$3.000 votes, in 1881 we polled over \$113.000 in 1833 127,000, and in 1884, over 142.000. In 1884 it he Republican party of Virginia, under its present organization, formaily identified itself with the national organization, not withstanifing the saubs and cold shoulders it had received from that organization and from the press ecerally supposed to take its one from the latter. Our delegation to the national convention at Chicago was seated, in spite of a bogus contesting delegation from the bogus Republican allies of the Virginia Bourbons, and the convention welcomed it with enthusiastic applause. Under a fair count we carried the state for Biaine in 1884, although the Democracy had wrested it from us in 1885 by force, fraud, and terrorism—and although the ballots and returns had been put under the control of the Democratic party organization by the infamous Anderson-McCormick election bill, through which the appointment of all registrars, judges and commissioners of elections, and the control of all registrars, judges and commissioners of elections, and the control of all registrar boards, for all counties and cities, chosen by the Bourbon legislators. It is unnecessary to tell you, sir, or your committee, what injustices, wrongs, and frands are perpetrated under a scheme which has no reason for being at all except for the perpetration of outrages on the popular will and franchise; but, even under this statute of usurpation, tyranny, and perjury, operated under the direction of a boss, whose followers chiefly praise him for his lack of all acruples, we have never lost heart, and have never abandoned the field to the foe, as was done in 1870. In the state election of 1885, even the fraudulent Bourbon returns credited us with over 136,000 votes, and we verily believe, on evidence direct and indirect within our knowledge, that we actually carried the state that year. Last year, with the Bourbon boss irritated by his lack of all acruples, we have never 180,000 votes, and we verily believe,

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The vote of 1886, however, with the Democratic forces disorgatized by the absence of their chief, gave us the majority ladicated only by aggregating with our ballots the ballots cast and returned for the ladependent Democratic candidate in the seventh district and for the Labor candidate in the sixth. The vote thus aggregated was something over 121,000, or 15,000 below our counted vote of 1885, and 21,000 below our counted vote of 1885, and 21,000 below our counted vote of 1884.

And now we come to the results of the election this year in Virginia, which, with their causes, have been so egregiously misrepresented, not only by the Democratic prese, but by journals professing to be Rapublican. Bourbonism had put its favorite chieftain in the field again, with a United States senatorship pledged to him as the prize of success. Money flowed from Democratic pockets and hands in lnexhaustible supplies. Fraud was rewarded in advance, and promised full protection and impunity. Yet, withal, the House returns made officially by the Democratic partials, silhough they count in a Democratic majority of the legislators, show numistakably, to anylone intelligent and impartial enough to make a fair analysis of them, that our popular vote this year is greater than that of last year—being over 122,000; that our popular majority exceeds 2,000, even without recourse to the larger votes received by some of

our senatorial candidates; that we carry fifty-six counties out of the 100, notwith-standing numerous and varied frauds; that we elect ten out of the nincteen senators chosen this year; that we carry seven congressional districts out of the ten—the first, second, third, fourth, fifth, ninth, and tenth; and that we do all this with straight bons fide Republican votes for Republican candidates, without counting (as last year) the votes cast for Independent Democrata. This seems to us very weil, with reference to next year, at all events, considering that we have facts and figures that will carry conviction to any rational mind that we were cheated out of at least twelve, if not seventeen members of the house of delegates—sill of which, with the testimony, will be set forth in full in a paper now in preparation by the State Republican Executive Committee of Virginia.

All this was achieved, too, in the face of a disloyal clamor in our own household, raised by a little knot of selfish hedgers, trimmers, and speculators in dissension, who think to make their innings by coercing the majority, or, in any event, by currying favor with Bourbonism and winning all that that implies in Virginia and the south. They even had their so-called Kepublican organs among us, out-Bourboning the Bourbon journals in false and malliclous representations tending to damage the cause and party, and these organs were echoed and re-echoed by the Democratic and Mugwump press with gusto, insamuch that the plain truths we have here set down were kept from the people, even in Virginia, while all outsiders were wofully misinformed and misled. Some of these kickers, or their agents, even went so far as to attempt by overt acts to defeat us and help the Bourbons by raising up so-called independent Republican candidates against our legislative nominees, these so-called independent Bepublican candidates against our legislative nominees, these so-called independent sepublican resulting and the reveal to the regular Republican majority was increased b

boxes and returns, as upon any other state now ranked as Republican. With thanks and best wishes, we are your

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Charles Gee.
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Edward W. Hubbard.
G. A. Martin.
House of delegates of Virginia,
W. C. Elast,
House of delegates of Virginia.
Morgan Theat.
House of delegates of Virginia.
Delegation of Virginia legislature now in Washing ton.

ALEXANDRIA MATTERS.

Items of Interest Gathered for the "Republican's" Readers.

It is understood that Mayor Smoot, president of the Mount Vernon Avenue Associa tion, will on to-morrow announce the com mittee who will go to Richmond to look after the granting of the charter recently determined upon by the association. Mr. B. Frank Waddey announces himself

an independent candidate for the common council, subject to the election of Tauraday The coupon is still the subject of much discussion in the business circles of this city. Many schemes are suggested as to the best means of adjusting matters. Many strong and leading Democrats who have tendered coupons for their taxes are embastic in their statements, and deciart that should the Democratic party, who are now in power, insist on prosecuting them that they will never again support the party. The are willing to surrender the coupons to the state for what they paid for them and pay into the treasury the balance in money. Mr. Henry C. Phillips was yesterday swarded the contract for trans or ing the mails to and from the railway stations for \$350, as sgainst the bill of his father of \$459, who has done the work for the past fitten years. The coupon is still the subject of much

The Filday Night Club of this city will The Filling Night Club of this city will give their first hop of the season to night at McBurney's Hall.

Mr. B. W. Halls has been appointed storkeeper of the Virginia Midiand rall-road shops of this city, vice Mr. John W. McGraw, resigned.

Reduced prices in boys' overcoats. Else-man's, 7th and F.

CITY ITEMS.

Howland Dertal Association, 211 Four-and-a-half street northwest, three doors north of Fennsylvania avenue. E. P. Howland, M. D. C. H. Howland, D. D. B., surgical, operative, and mechanical dentists. Extractions, under nitrous exide, 50 cents each tooth, and only 50 centsiexira for gas, whether one or a number of teeth are extracted at the same sitting. Have administered nitrous exide to ever 45,000 persons. Artificial teeth \$7 per set. Gold, amaigam, and white fillings inserted in the best manner. All work warranted first claw.

BERERLEY, a pure rye walsky, the best on the market for the price, \$4 per gallon, \$1 a quart, and 50 cents a pint, 20 cents a sample bottle. Tharp, \$18 % street northwest.

MODERATELY ACTIVE.

Bear Stories Freely Circulated and Prices Hammered Down.
New York, Dec. 8.—The stock market to-day was moderately active, though the speculation was as narrow as usual of late. a few stocks monopolizing all the interest as well as the business. It was somewhat

a few stocks monopolizing all the interest as well as the business. It was somewhat feverish and weak, however, throughout, being subjected to vigorous raiding during almost the entire day. The general feeling in the morning was less bearish, and London was a buyer of its specialities, and supporting orders appeared in most of the specialities. A number of adverse influences were soon brought to bear, however, and the rumor of an issue of new stock by the Rock Island, the report that a receiver had been appointed for the Missouri, Kansas and Texas, and that the carnings of Reading for November would show a loss, with the old story of a Chicago bank in trouble were used. The one that did the most harm, however, was that the dividend on Richmond and West Point preferred would be passed, and this supplemented by passistent attacks upon the stock made it the special weak spot of the market.

The opening was firm, at advances extending to a per cent, but the advantage was not maintained, prices sagging off slowly while the business became extrem by dull. Richmond and West Point became the special point of attack late in the day, when the market showed much more animalion and the decline became more general. There was some support given the list late in the day, when the decline was checked, though there was no recovery, and the close was quiet, but heavy, at or near the lowest prices reached.

Money on call has been easy, ranging from 4 to 6, last loan at 4½, and closing offered at 4½. Sterling exchange is dull and steady. Actual business at 481; to 481½ for demand. Posted rates 482 to 480. Government bonds have been dull and heavy. State bonds have been dull and heavy. State bonds have been dull and heavy. State bonds have been dull and steady.

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Va. 6s, 48; d. 6, e.x. nat. compon.

42; Con. fac. firsts, 116; Denver and Rio Grande firsts, 7; M. K. and T. gen. 6s, 71; d. 6s, 8e; Northern Pac. Irsts, 116; do. seconds, 101; Northwestern cons. 138; do. debenture, 107; St. L. and San Frau. 114; st. Paul con., 126; St. L. and San Frau. 114; st. Paul con., 126; St. L. and San Frau. 114; st. Paul con., 126; St. L. and San Frau. 114; st. Paul con., 126; St. L. ond Pac. firsts, 116; Den. 1074; Adams Express, 140; Ation and T. B. 55; do. p. fd., 75; Ann. Express, 109; Bos. Air Line prid., 88; B. C. and R. N. 80; Canada Southern, 54; G. Canton, 50; Cen. Pac., 314; de. pfd., 163; C. Col., 25; Del. and Hud. 1024; Del. & Lack., 128;; Den. & R. G. 21; Fire. 25; do. pfd., 75; Fort Wayne, 151; Harlem, 213; Hous. & Tex., 23; 111, Cent. 115; Kansas & Texas, 174; L. E. & W. 14; Lake Shore, 94; L. 14, and Nash., 61; Man., & Con., 95; M. and Char., 20; M. & L. 140; Mich. Cen., 85/2; Mo. Pac., 88; Mob. and O., 10; Mar. and E. 13; N. Chat., 76; N. J. Cen., 744; Norfolk and Western pfd., 414; Northern Pac., 22; do. pfd., 40; Northwestern, 1005; do. pfd., 140; N. Y. Chn., 167; Chicago and St. L., 140; do. pfd., 65; Ohio and Miss., 24; do. pfd., 134; N. Chat., 76; N. J. Cen., 744; Norfolk and Western pfd., 414; Northern Pac., 22; do. pfd., 140; N. Y. Chn., 167; Chicago and St. L., 140; do. pfd., 171; do. pfd., 67; Ohio and Miss., 24; do. pfd., 140; N. Y. Chn., 167; Chicago and St. L., 140; do. pfd., 171; do. pfd., 27; Texas Pac., 27; Union Pac.

Grain and Provisions

Washington Stock Exchange.

The following list of the most active stocks deal in on the Washington Stock Exchange is furnished by Mesers, Bell & Co., Baukers, No. 1417 Pennsylvania avenue: December 8, 1857. District Columbia Bonds.

Bid. Asked.

		200	444.00.00
ı		107	***
ı	78. '91. Per. Impt., currency		***
ı		11110	***
ı	68, '92, 20-year funding, gold	1071	***
ı	te, '99, 10-year funding, gold	11#	***
۱		126	***
I	sa, 1902, Br-year funding, gold	122	***
l	78, 1903, Water Stock, currency	179	
ı	3.66s, 1924, Funding, currency,	11614	1174
ı	Overdue Greenback St	96	971
ı	Miscellaneous Bonds:		
ı	Washington and Giwn. R. R. Co	****	115
	Masonic Hall bonds	101%	
	Wash. Market Co. bonds	11210	1:6
ı	Wash, Lt. Inf. 1st mortgage	54	100
ı	Wash, Lt. Inf. 2d mortgage	46	
ı	Washington Gas Light Co. bonds	11634	1211
ı	National Bank Stocks:		
I	Bank of Washington 100	281	310
۱	Bank of Republic 100	115	1.0
	Metropolitan 190	170	***
	Second 100	126	
	Farmers and Mechanics, 190.	163	110
	Citizens' 190	116	***
	Railroad Stocks:		
	Washington and Georgetown 50	210	
	Metropolitan	Bb	1021
۱	Cotumbia	42	50
ı	Capitol and North O street 50 .	41	. 16
ı	Insurance btocks:		
ı	Firemen's20	39	2444
ı	Franklin		41
ı	Metropolitan 60	69	
ı	National Union 6	18	
ı		155	441
١	Corcoran	23	9.91
ı	Columbia		14
ı	German American 100 .	150	
ı	Potomac	88	***
ı	Riggs 5	774	81
١	Gas and Electric Light Stocks:		
ı	Washington Gas 20	****	39
ı	Georgetown Gas Yb.,	42	141
١	U. S. Electric Light	76	***
١	Telephone Stocks:		11111
Į	Pennsylvania 50	2225	41
ı	Chesapeake and Potomac 160.	75%	77
ı	Miscellaneous Stocks:	414	
١	Washington firick Machine Co 100.	215	
١	Great Falls Ice Company 100	126	

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Columbia Title Ins Co 5 54

National Safe Deposit Co 168 100 Saitimore Produce Market-Dec. 8. Battimore Produce Market—Dec. 8.
COTTON steady and quiet; middling, 10342.
FLOUR steady and quiet; middling, 10342.
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WHEAT—Southern higher; red. 20202c; swestern higher and quiet; No. 2 winter red. spot. 85 28534c; January, 87 48745c; February, 8934289/27; May, 9334 20434c.
CORN—Southern firm, with light supplies; white, 56257c; yellow, 56257c; western higher and quiet; mixed, spot, new, 5628-57c; year, 5634857c, January, 5845-546.
OATS firm and quiet; southern and Pennsyl.

bid.

OATS firm and quiet; southern and Pennsylvania, 35638c; western white, 57639c; do. mixed, 18638c.

EYE firm, 62663c.

PROVI-10NS firm and quiet.

BUTTER hightr—Western packed, 20623c;

BUTTER higher-Western packed, 20:22c; creamery, 16:201c.
COFFEE haminally firmer; Rio cargoes, ordinary to fair, 174; \$1844c.
SUGAR-Copper refuned firm, 14:25; WHISKY steady; \$1.16:31.10.
Other articles unchanged.
BALTINORE STOCK MARKET.
BALTINORE, Mo., Dec. 8.—Virginia & consolidated, with coupon; 40%; part due compons, 66; do. new 3c, 675; do. 10 425, 17 bid to-day.

SCHOOL OF THE OFFICER. The Training of the Recruit the First

Lessons. Gen. Ordway last night opened the school of the officer at the Washington Light Infantry armory with a short talk on the importance of looking after the little the importance of looking after the little things in military affairs. The school itself was then begun with Adjt. Gen. Bigelow as instructor. The first principles of the training of the recruit was the lesson. The officers were questioned, and their ready replies showed that they were well informed. The general explained the reasons for the various things set forth in the answers in a very clear manner, and often answers in a very clear manner, and often used the blackboard to illustrate the vari-

used the blackboard to filustrate the various points he discussed.
Capt. Cambbell, of the Custer Guards, was examined last night for over two hours by the board of examination.
Maj. Robinson goes before the board Monday night.
The National Fencibles have elected the following non-commissioned officers: J. Ashburn, fourth sergeant; W. W. Mortlmer, fifth sergeant; C. McKeever, seventh corporal, and C. Eber, eighth corporal. The company voted to boil an entertainment in January next, when exhibition drills will be given, followed by a hop.

Reduced prices in every dept. E sem n's, 7 & E

Wool Men in Conference. The wool growers and wool dealers in co-trence yesterday adopted a series of resolu-lons declaring unjust the prosent class flowion of wool by the railroads of the country and of wool by the railroads of the country and directing that they be urgently requested place wool in the riew classification on basis that would at least be equal to the present classification. The conference also passed a resolution declaring that recent events have demonstrated the necessity for a central or gardization at Washington or eisewhere, and with that purpose in view, request all worgrowers and chiers of wool growers' associations in the United States to immediately send their addresses to Albert Chapman, at Middle burg, Vt.

Reduced prices in every dept. Eiseman's, 7 & E LELAND HOTEL, Chicago.

Hop of the Acme Social Club.

The Acme Social Club has made a name for itself by the delightful cutertainments given its friends and patrons. The hop last night at Sheldon's Academy proved equal to those arready held. The attendance of guests was quite large and the arrangement of dances very satisfactory.

Reduced prices in men's overcoats. Eisensti's, 7th and E. Reduced prices in storm coats, Eisem an, 7 & E.

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KLEIBER. - On Thursday, Dec. 8, at the residence of her nelce, Mrs. H. W. Breistord, Miss. R. MARGARET KLEIBER, aced 77 years.
Notice of funeral becenter.

UNDERTAKERS.

W. R. SPEARE, Undertaker.

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Absolutely Pure. This powder never varies. A marve o purity, strength, and wholesomeness More economical than the ordinary kinds, and can not be sold in competition with the multitude of low test, short weight alum or phosphatepowder. Sold only for coma. ROYAL BAKING FOWDER CO., 106 Wall St., N. Y.

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erful work of which soon extinguished the fire before much loss occurred. This is the third time the engines have saved the town, and too much cannot be said in their praise.

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Leave Washington 9:12 a. m. daily, except Sunday, and 4:45 p. m. daily, arriving at Round Hill 11:48 a. m. and 7:21 p. m.; returning, leave Round Hill 11:48 a. m. and 7:21 p. m.; returning, leave Round Hill 3:50 a. m. daily and 1:20 p. m., daily except Sunday, arriving Washington 8:30 a. m. and 3:55 p. m.

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NER OF NEW IRRSEY AVE, AND G ST.
For CHICAGO & Northwest, Exp. Daily 10:36
A. M., 940 P. M.
For CHNINATI & ST. LOUIS, Exp. Daily 2:30
and 9:30 P. M.
For FITTEBURG & CLEVE., Exp. Daily 2:30
A. M., 940 P. M.
For Fitteburg & CLEVE., Exp. Daily 10:35 A,
M., 840 P. M.
For Philadelphia, Newark, and Wilmington,
7:30 A. M., 2:30 P. M., 5:35 P. M., daily, Express,
For intermediate points between Bailtimore
and Philadelphia, 15 A. M. and 9:15 P. M.
For Saltimore, 5, 6:20, 6:40, 7:30, 8:30, 9:50 A.
M., 12:10, 2:35, 3:15 (45-minute train), 3:30, 4:30,
4:40, 5:30, 5:30, 6:45, 7:20, 8:35, and 11:30 P. M.
Sundays, 6:20, 7:30, 8:30, 9:50 A. M., 1:30, 2:35,
3:30, 4:40, 5:30, 5:55, 6:45, 8:30, and 11:30 P. M.
For ANNAFOLIS, 6:40 and 8:30 A. M., 1:20,
3:40, 5:30, 5:40, 6:40, 8:30 A. M., 4:40, P. M.
For ANNAFOLIS, 6:40 and 8:30 A. M., 1:20,
3:40, 6:40, 8:30, A. M., 4:40 P. M.
For Way Stations between Washington and
Ballimore, 5:00, 6:40, 8:30 A. M., 4:10 P. M.
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Ballimore, 5:00, 6:40, 8:30 A. M., 1:20, 3:30, 4:40,
6:45, and 11:30 P. M. On Sundays, 8:30 A. M.,
For Stations on Metropolitan Branch, 6:35 A.
M., 8:46 A. M., 1:40 P. M., for principal stations only: 8:10 P. M., and 6:30 P. M. For Stations on Metropolitan Branch, 6:35 A.
M., 8:46 A. M., 1:40 P. M., and 8:30 P. M.,
For Boyd's and intermediate stations, 7:50
and 1:20 P. M. Morphing at all stations on
Metropolitan Branch,
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For HaderssTown, 8:30 A. M., 1:20 P. M.
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of Baltimore, 10:50 A. M., 4:30 P. M.,
From Philadelphia, Chester, and Wilmington, 10:40 A. M., 2:20, 7:10, and 9

and 41:50 P. M.
From Singerly and intermediate points north
of Baltimore, 19:90 A. M., daily,
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12:15, 1:30, 8:00, 1:10, 5:00, 6:00, 6:30, 7:40, 8:30,
and 11:30 P. M. On Sindays, 6:30, 7:20, 9:30,
and 19:00 A. M., 1:30, 1:15, 4:10, 5:00, 6:30, 7:20,
8:30, and 11:00 P. M.
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